

COUNCIL KILLED IT.

The Will of the People Thwarted Today by a Tie Vote.

WASHINGTON IS SLEEPING.

Those Who Voted for and Against the Bill are on Record—Their Names—Legislative Proceedings—The Bill in Brief—That Voted the Will of the People—But Half the Council Arrived at a Different Conclusion.

Special to the Herald: SANTA FE, N. M., Feb. 12.—The Washington County bill was killed in the council today by a tie vote. Those who voted in favor of the bill were J. P. Chavez, T. S. Duncan, Thomas Hughes, Placido Sandoval, F. Miera and Antonio Joseph. Those voting against the measure were A. B. Fall, Geo. Curry, Chas. Spies, F. A. Finlay, W. E. Martin and J. M. Anchutera.

Legislative Proceedings

Special to the Herald: SANTA FE, N. M., February 11.—To-night the Washington county bill is hanging in the balance. Which way the beam will tip to-morrow cannot be foretold. At the time the council adjourned this afternoon there was a feeling of apprehension on both sides and the hours which have passed since adjournment have furnished little matter for consolation to either side.

When the Washington county bill passed the house of representatives last Friday morning it was thought that it could be passed through the council without much trouble, but soon after the house messenger delivered the bill to the council the clouds began to gather and since that time there have been constantly increasing indications of a storm when the bill came up to the council. It was well known to the advocates of the bill that the council committee on counties would report the bill favorably as it came from the house but, instead of referring the bill to this committee, a motion was made and carried to refer the bill to a special committee as had been done in the house. The committee of the council to which the bill was referred was composed of Councilmen Fall, Curry and Martin and it took but a short time to ascertain that this committee was opposed to the bill as it passed the house. They wanted an amendment which should provide for the submission of the division question to a vote of the people of the county.

The bill was to have been reported by the special committee on Wednesday, but the Martin substitute for the Fall bill to fix the salaries of district court clerks and county officers occupied the attention of the council the entire day. The Martin substitute is a compromise between the Fall bill and the Placido bill and passed the council by a vote of 7 to 5, the bill being supported by all the democrats and Councilman Martin, on the republican side.

It was agreed to take up the Washington county bill this afternoon and the entire afternoon was taken up with the consideration of the measure as reported by the special committee, but a vote on neither the amendment nor the bill was reached.

Speeches were made in favor of the bill by Councilmen Chavez, de Valencia, and Miera, of Colfax and Union. Fall, Martin and Spies spoke against the bill in the most emphatic terms. The position taken by Spies was a surprise to many advocates of the bill who expected he would favor the bill without the amendment, but he declared in his speech that if the amendment was not adopted he would vote against the bill when it came up for action by the council, taking the position that if a majority of the residents of the county opposed division the county ought not to be divided. Martin opposed the bill for the reason of self-protection. He argued that the bill would leave Grant county with a small territory and that, in all probability, the next legislature would be asked to cut off a portion of Socorro county and give it to Grant. Fall is in favor of submitting the question to a vote of the people, but without this amendment he would not vote for the bill. For a time it was thought that the fate of the bill would be decided before the adjournment of the council this afternoon, but about half past four the council decided to adjourn until tomorrow morning. It is understood that Councilman Curry will make a strong speech at the morning session in opposition to the bill. He is in favor of the adoption of the amendment providing for the submission of the question to a vote, but unless this amendment be adopted he will not support the bill.

Since the adjournment of the council, both the friends and the enemies of the bill have been in consultation laying plans and making preparations for the final struggle tomorrow. Nothing is talked of tonight but the Washington county bill and the leaders on neither side will make predictions as to the outcome. The opposing forces will show up in their arms and neither side proposes to be caught napping. Both Deming and Silver City are well represented and nothing is left undone by either side.

The Washington County bill, which voices the will of the people, is given in full below:

WASHINGTON COUNTY BILL.

Section 1. That a county which shall be known as Washington county is hereby created out of that portion of the territory of New Mexico, included within the following boundaries, as indicated by United States survey, to-wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of township 20 south, range 8 west; running thence south along the north line of township 20 south, to the northwest corner of township 20 south, range 11 west; thence south along the west line of township 20 south, to the northeast corner of township 21 south, range 12 west; thence west along the north line of township 21 south, to the dividing line between Arizona and New Mexico, in range 22 west; thence south along said dividing line of Arizona and New Mexico, to the international boundary line of the United States and the republic of Mexico, township 24 south, range 23 west; thence east, north and east along said international boundary line to the southwest corner of Dona Ana county, township 20 south, range 8 west; thence along the dividing line of Dona Ana and Grant counties, to the place of beginning.

Section 2. That the county seat of said county of Washington shall be established at the town of Deming in said county, and the board of county commissioners of said county, to be appointed or elected as hereinafter provided, shall select and designate the most proper and convenient place in said town for the erection of the public buildings of the said county of Washington.

Section 3. The several precincts as they exist in the county of Grant at the time of the passage of this act, and within the territory embraced within the limits of said county of Washington, shall constitute the precincts of the county of Washington until changed by lawful authority.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the governor of the territory of New Mexico, on the first day of April, A. D. 1897, to appoint for the said county of Washington, the county officers now provided by law for counties in the territory, and the officers so appointed shall, immediately thereafter, qualify and enter upon the discharge of their duties as such officers, and until the first day of April, A. D. 1897, the territory embraced in the county of Washington, shall be and remain in the county of Grant, as now constituted. And in the appointment of the members of the board of county commissioners of said county of Washington, the governor shall have regard to representation of the several portions or districts of said county, so that the same shall be as nearly equal as possible in proportion to population.

Section 5. The county officers of said county of Washington, so appointed by the governor, shall receive for their services the compensation allowed by law to such officers in this territory, and they shall hold office until January 1, 1899, and until their successors, respectively, shall be elected at the next general election, and said officers, so appointed or elected, shall respectively hold office until their successors are elected or appointed and qualified, according to law. The county commissioners appointed under this act are authorized and empowered to divide said county of Washington into precincts and districts, and to appoint in each precinct the precinct officers provided by law.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the county commissioners of the county of Grant, and the county commissioners of the county of Washington, when appointed as provided by section 4 of this act, to appoint one person from their respective counties, of proper qualifications, as a commissioner, to examine and ascertain the actual debt of the county of Grant; to count the actual cash in the treasury of said county of Grant, if any there be; and after having ascertained the amount of cash on hand in treasury of said county of Grant, on the first day of April, A. D. 1897, to deduct such sum from the general debt of said county; then to determine what portion of such general debt of said county of Grant should be charged to the county of Washington, based upon the assessment and valuation made upon the property in the area included in the county of Washington, in the year 1896, if being the intention hereof to provide that said county of Washington shall assume and be liable for its pro-rata proportion of the existing legal indebtedness of the present county of Grant, to be determined by the proportion which the taxable property within the said county of Washington shall bear to the entire taxable property of said county of Grant, according to the assessment of 1896; provided that all public buildings, bridges and other improvements remaining in the said county of Grant shall be and remain the property of said county of Grant; and provided further that the county of Washington shall not be responsible for any debt created or contracted by the county of Grant from and after the passage of this act.

Section 7. On or before the first day of May 1897, the collector of the county of Grant, shall turn over to the county commissioners of the said county of Washington, a list of all delinquent taxes and also all taxes which will be due on July 1, 1897, upon property within the limits, or personal property belonging to persons residents within the limits of the said Washington county. The county commissioners of the said county of Washington, when appointed as provided in this act, are hereby authorized and empowered, for the purpose of paying the amount, if any, of the debt of the county of Grant, so found to be legally chargeable to the said county of Washington, to issue bonds of the said county of Washington, in an amount equal to the amount of the debt of said county of Grant, so found to be chargeable to said county of Washington, said bonds to run for the period of thirty years, but payable at the option of the said county of Washington, after the expiration of twenty years from the date of issue of the same, and to be in the usual form and denomination of one thousand dollars each, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually until paid.

Section 8. The said county of Washington may issue bonds for court house purposes, not exceeding \$25,000 in amount, bearing interest not exceeding the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually and redeemable in not less than ten years, nor more than twenty years from the date of issue thereof, and similar bonds may be issued by the said county of Washington, for the purpose of purchasing land, or for any other purpose, not exceeding the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually and redeemable in not less than ten years, nor more than twenty years from the date of issue thereof.

Section 9. That a county which shall be known as Washington county is hereby created out of that portion of the territory of New Mexico, included within the following boundaries, as indicated by United States survey, to-wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of township 20 south, range 8 west; running thence south along the north line of township 20 south, to the northwest corner of township 20 south, range 11 west; thence south along the west line of township 20 south, to the northeast corner of township 21 south, range 12 west; thence west along the north line of township 21 south, to the dividing line between Arizona and New Mexico, in range 22 west; thence south along said dividing line of Arizona and New Mexico, to the international boundary line of the United States and the republic of Mexico, township 24 south, range 23 west; thence east, north and east along said international boundary line to the southwest corner of Dona Ana county, township 20 south, range 8 west; thence along the dividing line of Dona Ana and Grant counties, to the place of beginning.

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MINOR MENTION.

Latest News Happenings Chronicled in Texas Style for Readlight Readers.

It is not dead, but sleepeth. In Washington County killed? Not! The "Democrat" was in town Monday. Knights of Pythias meet next Tuesday evening.

Maskerade ball on the evening of Washington's birthday.

"Burr" Williams returned last evening from a trip into Mexico.

One week from next Monday night is the grand maskerade ball.

William Gordon has recovered from a serious attack of pneumonia.

Several car loads of Mexican cattle are expected in before Monday.

A new switch-board has been put into the Western Union office at this place.

Regular meeting of Deming Council, No. 1, R. & S. M. next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

B. P. Rice was in Silver City the front end of the week, for the purpose of filling a very important affidavit.

The power of the Methodist Church leaves today for Las Cruces, where he is to conduct a series of revival meetings.

The Alamo hotel at Albuquerque burned Wednesday morning. The building and contents were insured for \$12,300.

Judge Seaman Field has been appointed Assignee of the estates of C. H. and M. L. Dane, vice Israel King, deceased.

Willie Shakespeare celebrated his ninth birthday last Tuesday evening by giving a party to his little friends in this city.

The cars on the Sunset Limited are models of excellence and comfort, comprising every feature of a first-class hotel.

A. J. Kyle was confined to his bed Saturday and Sunday from a threatened attack of pneumonia but is able to be about again.

The mortgaged property of W. Berg will be sold March 6, at public auction, under a decree of court. See notice of sale on third page.

Louis Papin, formerly a resident of Deming, died at El Paso last Tuesday. Mr. Papin was a cousin of W. P. Wilkinson of this city.

A note for one thousand dollars that is long past due is said to be very influential in the matter of Washington county—Lordsburg Liberator.

On to the bank building tomorrow afternoon and evening and hear Punch and Judy and other entertainers. Admission 10c for both old and young.

Timothy Murray, a respected citizen of Central, father of W. D. Murray, a merchant of that town, took his own life at that place Monday morning. He leaves a wife and three children.

Died—At Purcell, Oklahoma, the 9th instant, Mrs. Frank Mosely. Mrs. Mosely was a sister of Mrs. J. B. Hodgdon and Mrs. W. H. Hudson, of this city, to whom the HEADLIGHT extends sympathy.

Young People's Social and Literary Club will meet Monday night at the home of W. R. Merrill's. All are cordially invited. Those who have no way of going will be provided with conveyance if they will meet at J. B. Hodgdon's at 7:30.

Services will be held at St. Luke's Episcopal Church next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. Holy communion in the morning. Subject of the morning sermon—"How to feel kindly toward People Who are Disagreeable to us."

Rev. E. H. J. Andrews, formerly in charge of the Episcopal Church in this city, has had charge of Trinity Church, Phoenix, Ariz., the past three weeks, during Bishop Kendrick's absence in Mexico. Mr. Andrews will probably stop over a night in Deming on his return to El Paso early in the week.

The through tourist cars to eastern points on the Southern Pacific are in charge of police and attentive Pullman conductors who see that no objectionable characters are allowed in the cars. People going to Chicago, New Orleans, Cincinnati, Washington, or contiguous points should not fail to consult Mr. C. B. Bosworth in reference to these cars.

A report was current last Saturday that the notorious outlaw leader, "Black Jack" had been captured in El Paso. An arrest was made by the local police there of a "Black Jack," but when Marshall Hall and Deputy H. W. Loomis went down from Silver City where they were attending U. S. Court, to identify the prisoner they discovered that the wrong man was in custody.

A press dispatch from Washington states that Representative Knowl of Massachusetts has introduced a bill supplementary to the act validating bonds issued by certain counties in New Mexico in aid of railroads. The authorship has failed to take any action in regard to the refunding bonds as authorized and this bill seeks to set the proper machinery in motion to have this done. It has not been formally acted upon by the committee on territories, but it is understood to meet its approval.

Nestor Rivas, the Mexican, who shot and killed Placido Alvarez and wounded another Mexican near the depot hotel about three weeks ago, has been taken into custody by Sheriff McKee and is now awaiting the action of the next grand jury in the Silver City jail on the charge of murder. The wounded Mexican is in the Silver City hospital, and will also likely be taken into custody upon his recovery from the wound inflicted in the arm by Rivas. It will be remembered that in a quarrel between Rivas and another Mexican, Alvarez was shot and died soon after.

Interesting Curiousities.

Mr. C. B. Bosworth returned last Saturday from a visit to his mining camp about 70 miles northeast of Deming on the Rio Grande river. Besides several specimens of rich copper ore, Mr. B. brought with him a collection of very interesting and rare curiosities in the nature of what would appear to be petrifications of prehistoric fruits and vegetables. One resembles a huge turnip, being about two inches in diameter, the center portion being enclosed in a different kind of stone, there is also what appears to have been a cluster of grapes or maybe prickly pear. These are of sandstone and were broken off of a large cluster about four feet long. But the most curious of all, being the most true to nature and showing the most unmistakable signs of having been once one some immense species of fruit, is an almost exact imitation of a Bartlett pear, measuring 23 inches in length and 15 inches in diameter through the thickest portion. It has a distinct ribbed about one half an inch thick. The upper portion where the stem should be is broken off, but there are pieces of others of the same kind lying where this was found, which show marks of a center core. Thus far no petrified fruits have been discovered and identified as such by scientists and if these should prove to be what their appearance suggests they will be a very interesting and valuable addition to the world's knowledge of prehistoric things. Mr. C. B. Bosworth, who is associated with Mr. Bosworth in his mining operations there, writes that he has discovered the petrified remains of some huge member of the serpent family. It is 18 inches in diameter and of unknown length, only about six feet of it being exposed, the balance being imbedded in the sandstone, which is the formation in which these things are found. This is supposed to be the serpent which tempted Eve in the garden of Eden and the fruits were probably the companions of the apples which caused the downfall of the human race. Not far from there on the banks of the Rio Grande imbedded in the sand and wash of ages are the remains of a huge mammoth or other extinct animal. The bones are turned to sandstone and on this account Mr. Bosworth was only able to bring away one of the smallest which measures 11 inches in length by 5 broad and is supposed to be one of the smallest teeth or one of the first ribs above the hips. As an illustration of the size of this animal it is only necessary to say that one bone which, no doubt, was a tooth, is 2 feet long and 8 1/2 inches at the large end and tapering to 4 inches at the small end.

Mr. Bosworth hints of other things more wondrous still, which he has found in this strange country, but—well, "seeing is believing"—and the HEADLIGHT is not prepared to write about anything else until like these, Mr. Bosworth has produced it for our inspection. It certainly would seem, however, that if such a thing as petrified fruit exists, a very good sample is now to be seen in the waiting room of the Southern Pacific Company at this point.

The McCullum reception, given at the Depot Hotel last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stewart of this city, was the affair of the season. The dining hall was partially cleared to admit of dancing and promptly at 8:30 o'clock the grand march began led by Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stewart. At 11 o'clock a banquet fit for the gods was served after which dancing was resumed. The music furnished by Wm. Lafferty was excellent and all present declared that their cup of enjoyment was filled to the brim. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stewart, Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Swope, John Corbett and wife, Frank Thurnmond and wife, C. B. Allaire and wife, O. H. Mergenthaler and wife, F. F. Mudge and wife, I. Brown and wife, J. E. Irvine and wife, W. H. Gundry and wife, Meadams J. P. Byron, Seaman Field, Alice Smith and Bristol; Misses Alice Seelye, Belle Congdon, Daisy Allen, Laura Burnside, Hattie Hodgdon, Hattie Nordhaus, Rose Hopkins, Zoe Walker and Messrs. Lou H. Brown, N. A. Beals, Sam Holstein, J. R. Hopkins, N. E. Bailey, Hugh Williams and D. E. Lyle.

Methodist Church.

There will be no morning service at the Methodist Church during the absence of the pastor. Rev. L. L. Lallance will conduct services every Sunday night.

For Rent.

Two cottages, four rooms each, north of depot. Water in both houses. For further information call on address.

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DO YOU KNOW THESE FOLKS?

AL SCHULTE was down from Co. early in the week.

Car of Colorado Flour at F. & B. Co.

H. CARR was a Cook's Peak visitor in the metropolis yesterday.

Car of Greeley potatoes at F. & B. Co.

WALTER WALLIS will sell you LUMBER for \$20 per M. Spot cash.

CARMIER LOU H. BROWN was down to El Paso early in the week.

Car of salt just arrived at F. & B. Co.

Don't forget that Brown & Hopkins has a large stock of queensware in decorated China and fancy novelties.

Wm. J. N. Upton stopped over in town Wednesday on his way to Texas.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. J. P. Byron, druggist.

Car load of best patent flour just arrived Stenson's.

Mrs. J. B. HONOR and daughter have been spending the week in Santa Fe.

DeWitt's Little Hazel Pills are an effective, soothing and healing application for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, etc., and cures piles like magic. It instantly stops pain. J. P. Byron, druggist.

Try Stenson's Parlor Patent Flour—best in the market.

ROBERT HANNAN returned yesterday from Mexico, where he had been to buy cattle.

Many lives of usefulness have been cut short by neglect to break up an early cold. Pneumonia, bronchitis and even consumption can be averted by the prompt use of One Minute Cough Cure. J. P. Byron, druggist.

Goods bought only in car load lots. Pleasman & Beals Co.

FLOORING, CEILING, SIDING, and DIMENSION LUMBER for \$20 per M. Spot cash, at WALTER WALLIS.

Mrs. J. A. MAHONEY and children are visiting Representative Mahoney at Santa Fe.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no griping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. B. B. in size, great in results. J. P. Byron, druggist.

Furnished rooms and board. Enquire of Mrs. W. H. Merrill.

A. J. CLARK, J. P. BYRON, N. A. BOLCH and JAMES TRACY have been rustating at Santa Fe this week.

Many political speakers, clergymen, singers and others who use the voice extensively, rely upon One Minute Cough Cure to prevent hoarseness and laryngitis. Its value as a preventive is only equalled by its power to afford instantaneous relief. J. P. Byron, druggist.

As you sow so shall you reap—get the best seed at Mahoney's.

JURGE JOSEPH BOONE and SEYMOUR B. F. RICH represented the Deming local talent at Silver City this week.

Chronic constipation is a painful disagreeable and life-threatening difficulty. It deranges the system, causes sick headache, bad breath and poisons the blood. It can be readily overcome by DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These little pills are great regulators. J. P. Byron, druggist.

Full, fresh and complete assortment of garden and flower seeds at J. A. Mahoney's.

Mrs. ROBERT BLACK, of Silver City, was a passenger on the northbound train Monday en route to Santa Fe.

The best assortment of shoes ever brought to town at

The Lindauer Mercantile Co.

New is the time to make arrangements for planting. Get your garden seeds at J. A. Mahoney's.

Mr. HOLSTEIN came in from the N. A. N. ranch yesterday to attend the reception given by Mrs. McCullum last night.

A lot of white silk Initial Handkerchiefs at 50 cents, worth a dollar at

The Lindauer Mercantile Co.

Mahoney can fix you up in great shape on garden seeds, flower seeds, gram seed or most any old seed.

Col. RICHARD HUNTER came in from his Cedar Grove ranch Wednesday and went to his home in Silver City next day.

Our stock of spring dress goods and notions will surely arrive the coming week. Come and take a look at them.

The Lindauer Mercantile Co.

Largest stock of wall papers ever seen in Deming. Complete assortment of latest designs at J. A. Mahoney's.

Hon. LOUIS J. BONAPARTE, of Windham, St. Louis County, Missouri, is visiting his cousin, Col. W. P. Wilkinson, in this city.

We will open up during the coming week the most complete assortment of lace and embroidery ever brought to town.

The Lindauer Mercantile Co.

Col. ROBERT MILLIKES, of Sepa passed through the fore part of the week for Silver City, where he was called as a witness before the United States Court.

Miss IRMA MOORE, a leading society belle of Silver City, passed through Monday on her way to visit relatives in New Orleans. Miss Moore expects to remain in the Crescent city several weeks.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of Dr. Witt's Little Hazel Pills. It soothes at once, and restores the tissues to their natural condition, and never fails to cure pills. J. P. Byron, druggist.

VICAR PRESIDENT H. E. HUNTINGTON of the Southern Pacific Company, accompanied by General Manager Kruttschnitt, passed through Deming in a special train last Tuesday on a tour of inspection.

Come and take a look at our new stock of California male spring and summer suits and pants. They are up to date in style and prices.

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The way to cure catarrh is to purify the blood and the easiest, safest, best way to purify the blood is by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient, always reliable, easy to take, easy to operate.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hood's Sarsaparilla, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Your Present Need.

Is pure, rich blood, and a strong healthy body, because with the approach of spring and the beginning of warmer weather your physical system will undergo radical changes. All the impurities which have accumulated during colder weather must now be expelled or serious consequences will result. The true blood purifier, prepared by F. J. Cheney & Co., is the only eye today is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Its record of cures is unequalled. Its sales are the largest in the world. A few bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla will prepare you for spring by purifying and enriching your blood and toning and invigorating your whole system.

More Train Robbers.

Tuesday morning at about 1:00 o'clock two masked men held up the west bound Santa Fe train near Peach Springs, Arizona. One of the robbers was shot and killed by Messenger Summers. The other man escaped but officers are now hard on the trail, which is why a follow on account of snow on the ground. The booty secured was seven packages of registered letters.

To Trade.

House of 6 rooms, plastered and painted, two lots, well at door, in country seat, town in Logan County, Colo.; also 200 acres of good land near same town. Want small ranch near Deming, with sheep. Must be plenty water and good house. Address Room 4, Rink Block, Trinidad, Colo.

Legal Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has, by virtue of an order of the court of Grant County, been appointed administrator of the estate of Frederick W. Taylor, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said deceased, must present same within the time required by law, and that such claims may be presented at my office in Deming, Grant County, New Mexico, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

JAMES H. HODGSON, Administrator of the Estate of Frederick W. Taylor, deceased.

Dated at Deming, N. M., Feb. 10th 1897.

Notice.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Deming P. O. for the week ending February 12 1897.

Apila Pedro Burgess Capt.

Abelia Angel Crutchfield Wm.

Anderson J W McKay Mr

Americus Rafugio Perrell Wm

Belera Glimmerd

BAHAM HODGSON, P. M.

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